



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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For: LEAKAGE DETERMINATION SYSTEM FOR EVAPORATIVE FUEL PROCESSING SYSTEM

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

November 12, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2002, please consider the remarks that follow.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 3 and 6 without prejudice.

Please amend the following claims. A marked-up copy of the claims is attached hereto.

1. (Amended) A leakage determination system for an evaporative fuel processing system that causes a canister to absorb evaporative fuel generated from a fuel tank and supplies the evaporative fuel absorbed in the canister to an intake system of an internal combustion engine,
- the leakage determination system comprising:
- pressure detection means for detecting pressure within the evaporative fuel processing system;